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## Vista to Install New Officers on Thursday, May 15

Installation of newly elected officers, a membership vote on proposed amendments to the unit's by-laws and standing rules and reports by American Field Service members await Vista P-TA members attending the Albany unit's final meeting on Thursday, May 15, at 7:45 p.m. in the kindergarten room.

The following slate of officers for the 1958-59 term will be installed by Mrs. Thomas Maloney, past president of Vista P-TA and currently vice president and vice president-elect of Albany-Berkeley Council of P-TA: Mrs. Thomas Beckhousen, president; Mrs. Richard Gleason, 1st vice president; Mrs. John Loneragan, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Gordon Winslip, recording secretary; Mrs. Irving Johnson, financial secretary; Mrs. Billy Cater, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Edelson, auditor; Mrs. William Perry, historian.

Proposed amendments to the unit's standing rules and by-laws will be presented by Mrs. George Ferreira, retiring president, for action by the membership.

Three American Field Service members will relate impressions and experiences as part of the program. They are Marianna Riekkinen, of Helsinki, Finland; Kenneth Logan, Albany High School junior returned from a summer in Germany; Nancy McKeown, also of Albany, who recently spent a half year in New Zealand.

## Deadline to File for Veteran Exemption

NOTICE TO VETERANS: Last day to file for Veterans Exemption is May 26, 1958. Those who fail to file will have waived their right to exemption for the 1958-59 fiscal year.

MYRTLE J. McLEAN, City Assessor.

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## This Is Albany

Albany Ballroom Dance Club will have a "Daisy May" dance in the Cornell School Auditorium at 9 o'clock Saturday night, May 17, with all the members wearing casual cottons and a daisy for decoration.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vervair of Albany are chairmen for the evening and will act as disk jockeys for a special selection of records for dancing. Entertainment will be put on by members of the club.

Homemade cake with coffee will be served as refreshments at the end of the evening.

Members of the Cornell-Vista Dads Club will hold their last regular meeting of the year at Vista School kindergarten room on Wednesday evening, May 21, at 8 p.m.

At this meeting the following officers for the year 1958-59 will be installed by Cornell principal Milton Gordon: President, Bob Litloff; First Vice-President, Elton Gaunt; Second Vice-President, Milo Warneburg; Third Vice-President, Guy Laverty; Fourth Vice-President, George Crozier; Treasurer, Jesse Boydston; Secretary, Joel Parker; and Parliamentarian, Bill MacKenzie.

After out-going President Bill MacKenzie turns his gavel over to Litloff, the members will be entertained with the movie hi-lites of the 1957 Forty-niner season.

Following the program, refreshments will be served.

During the past few weeks the exhibit case in the Albany Public Library has contained various beautiful specimens of rocks and minerals belonging to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Miller of 957 Ventura Ave. Last week's display consisted of earrings, bracelets, cuff-links and necklaces and the stones from which they were cut. This week the display is of minerals all of which can be found in California. Both displays have been outstanding and should create interest in the East Bay mineral society's gem and mineral show to be held on Saturday and Sunday, May 17 and 18 in the Scottish Rite Temple, Oakland. At the show will be demonstrations in faceting and polishing, jewelry making, and gem cutting. Admission is free. The library staff wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Miller for sharing their hobby with the public.

Bethel No. 255, International Order of Job's Daughters, Albany, will hold a business meeting and election of officers Thursday, May 15, 1958 at 7:30 p.m. This will also be Nancy Ny's last meeting as honored queen.

Theodore S. Connelly, director of public affairs, National Automobile Club, will be the principal speaker before the Alberto Business and Professional Women's Club at its regular meeting to be held Tuesday, May 20, 6:30 at The Red Barn Restaurant, according to President Marjorie C. Stott.

Connelly, who will speak on the topic, "A New Frontier for Business," has been active in the development and execution of current public relations programs of national industrial and service organizations.

**Albany Church of Christ (CHRISTIAN)**  
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BIBLE STUDY - 10:00  
WORSHIP - 11:00  
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.  
JOHN SHAFFER, Minister  
1660 Tacoma, Berkeley  
Phone LA 6-7532

## Veterans to Plan Poppy Sale At May 20 Meet

Commander Bill Dietz of Albany Post 2658 Veterans of Foreign Wars has issued a call to all members to be on hand at the May 20 meeting of the post.

Plans will be completed at that time for the 1958 sale of Buddy Poppies on the weekend before Memorial Day. These small replicas of the poppies that grew in Flanders Field were first introduced by the VFW immediately after World War I. The first were made by French orphans, and later the flow-ers were made by disabled American Veterans. The flowers being sold in 1958 were made by patients in Veterans homes and hospitals in the Western States. The name Buddy Poppy was copyrighted by the VFW, and commander Bill Dietz urges all citizens of Albany to buy and wear one of these flowers in remembrance of the American veterans still in hospitals and homes—the disabled and the needy.

All members are assured of a good time at the meeting since Herb Walters has promised another of those famous buttermilk pancake suppers immediately after the close of the meeting.

## Proclamation

WHEREAS, the annual wearing of a poppy, symbolizing individual tribute to the war dead and encouragement to the war's living victims, and

WHEREAS, in past years the Poppy Days have been an outstanding success due to the gracious and liberal participation by our citizens, and

NOW, THEREFORE, as Mayor of the City of Albany I proclaim May 23 and 24 as Poppy Days and I urge all people within the City of Albany to join in observance of this day by purchasing Poppies and in this way show affection, loyalty and thanks to those still suffering from the devastation of war.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City to be affixed this 12th day of May, 1958.

(Signed) LEWIS M. LOWELL, Mayor, City of Albany.

## Albany PTA Council Well Represented At State Convention

The Albany-Berkeley Council of PTA was well-represented last week at the California Congress of Parents and Teachers State Convention in San Francisco. The convention began on Wednesday morning, May 7, and continued through Friday morning, May 9. Among those attending and the schools which they represented, were the following: Mrs. Lawrence Lane, Albany High; Mrs. Robert Gash, Berkeley High; Mrs. Russell Rellston, Burbank Jr. High; Mrs. Joseph White, Columbus; Mrs. Jack Morrow, Cornell; Mrs. Daniel Riedel, Cragmont; Mrs. R. Thomas, Emerson; Mrs. Henry H. Mitchell, Franklin; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Richardson, Garfield Jr. High; Mrs. Jack Block, Hillside; Mr. W. G. Craddock, Jefferson; Mrs. Jack London, Le Conte; Mrs. Eugene Kelley, Lincoln; Mrs. Pearl McQueen, Longfellow; Mrs. Jane Robbins, MacGregor; Mrs. Lee Seidel, Marin; Mrs. George Hagg and Mrs. H. J. Kjarsgaard, Thousand Oaks; Mrs. Thomas Beckhousen, Vista; Mrs. Eno Kekki, Washington; Mrs. Walter Johnson, Whittier; Mrs. Leo Esser and Mrs. Karl Berner, Willard Jr. High.

In addition, the following members of the council had the honor of serving as pages at the convention: Mrs. Ralph Harding, Mrs. John L. Amos Jr., Mrs. Thomas Maloney, and Mrs. Curtis Knoll.

Mrs. Robert Kleinhamer, assistant chairman of parent education and family life, CCPTL, and a past president of Berkeley-Albany Council assisted with the conference given by her department.

## Junior Chamber Albany Teen-Age Road-e-o Sunday

The annual Albany Teen-Age Road-e-o will be held this year at the Valet Parking Lot at Golden Gate Fields, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, May 18. As during the past three years it is being sponsored by the Albany Junior Chamber of Commerce. The contest is open to teen-agers between the ages of 16 and 20 who have not had a moving traffic citation during the last six months. Winner will receive a trophy, a \$25 bond, and a chance to compete in the state finals.

Winner in state finals will later compete for scholarship prizes totaling \$4500 in the National run-offs.

Applications are obtainable at Albany High or St. Marys High schools or see Dean Graham at Curt Campbell's Ford Agency. A written test will be given at the Albany Y.M.C.A. at 4 p.m. Friday, May 16. Further information can be had by calling LA. 5-0590. Parents and other visitors are invited to attend. Entrance will be by the Gilman Street entrance to the Valet Parking Lot.

## Police Warn of Shoplifting at East Bay Stores

Ralph M. Jensen, Chief of Police request all merchants to take active part in the shoplifting apprehension month, the month of May having been set by the East Bay Food Dealers Association as "Shoplifting Apprehension Month."

Albany Police Department is co-operating with other East Bay area departments and with the Food Dealers Association in a united effort to cut down shoplifting.

During this campaign, literature will be distributed to the merchants by the Albany Police Department explaining methods and preventive measures that can be taken in an effort to make this campaign successful.

## Police and Fire Annual Ball Date Set for May 24

The Albany Police and Fire Civil Service Club will hold its 12th annual ball at Golden Gate Fields Club House on May 24 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Tickets may be purchased from members of the departments as well as at the door. They are \$1.00 each. Proceeds will benefit the Widows and Orphans' Fund.

Entrance to the race track will be by way of Gilman Street, Berkeley. There will be ample free parking space, protected by uniformed police reserve officers.

The circle bar will be open. Two orchestras will provide music so there will be continuous dancing music.

Richard McSheehy is general chairman appointed by President Harry Heyen. He is being assisted by members of the club.

## Benefit Cake Sale At Parish Hall

The Catholic Action Group of St. Ambrose Church, Gilman and Stange Sts., Berkeley, will hold a benefit cake sale in the Parish Hall on Sunday, May 18, after all the Masses. Homemade cakes, pies and cookies will be featured. Mrs. Bertha Scholz is chairman for the event.

## Pursel to Address Albany Soroptimists

Supervisor Kent Pursel, candidate for Alameda County State Senator will address the Soroptimist Club of Albany on Wednesday, May 21st, at a luncheon at the Roberta Restaurant, 930 San Pablo Avenue, Albany.



Here is the new Miss Albany. She is U.C. co-ed Margo Brown, who won the title of "Miss Albany for 1958" in the judgment of the judges at last Saturday's pageant held at the Albany High School Auditorium. The annual event is sponsored by the Albany Junior Chamber of Commerce which presented nine candidates for the coveted title. The accompanying program Saturday night was an outstanding one and was given many rounds of applause by an appreciative audience. Miss Brown will represent Albany in the Miss California pageant at Santa Cruz June 26 through 29. She is an honor student at U.C.; is a member of Sigma Kappa Sorority and is active in campus affairs. She is a former "Maiden of California," "Maid of Cotton," "Potato Bowl Queen," and "Miss Kern County." Her family lives in Taft. The new Miss Albany is 5 feet 6 inches tall, and her measurements are 36-23-36.

## FABULOUS FRIDAY COMES TO ALBANY THIS FRIDAY

Fabulous Friday comes to Albany this Friday, May 16th! Twelve stores on Solano and San Pablo Avenues have joined together and are offering outstanding bargains.

The following stores are featuring Fabulous Buys on Fabulous Friday: Hollfelder's Jewellery, Highland Donuts, Albany 5 & 10, Capitol Upholstery & Rug Cleaning, Del Courtney TV, Lennox Photo Service, Cortese Pharmacy, Denham's, Corey's, Flowerland, Call Brothers Jewelers and Hi-Fashion Fabrics of California.

Under the sponsorship of the Albany Chamber of Commerce, Fabulous Friday is being planned as a monthly promotion event in Albany.

"The Wise Shopper" will shop in Albany on Fabulous Friday, May 16th.

## Little League Opens Play in Season Here

The Albany Little League got off to a flying start on May 3 with a parade and double-header. Opening day victors were the Braves over the Dodgers, 3 to 2, and the Giants over the Cards, 11 to 2. Other scores are as follows:

May 6—Cards 9, Braves 2. May 8—Dodgers 11, Giants 1. May 13—Dodgers 1, Braves 0.

American League scores were: May 5—White Sox 10, Senators 9. May 7—Tigers 11, Indians 10. May 10—Yankees 22, Red Sox 2. May 12—Senators 10, Tigers 6.

All games are played at University Village, the National League on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m., with a double-header on Saturdays at 1 and 3 p.m. American League plays on Monday and Wednesday evenings and Saturday morning at 10:30 a.m.

## Exchangette Dance To Be Held May 17

Plans are being made for the annual Exchangette Spring Dance to be held at the Ensign Club, 751 47th Street, Oakland, May 17 at 8:30 p.m. This is one of the two fund raising events of the year, the proceeds of which are used for child welfare.

President Mona Longpre has invited all members, friends, neighbors to attend this affair. Tickets may be purchased from any members of the Exchangettes at \$1.50 per couple.

## Soroptimist Club To Have Speaker At June 3 Meet

Wednesday, May 21, the Soroptimists International of Albany will see a film and be told of the urgent and immediate needs of the water supply system in the East Bay. The film and speaker will be provided by the East Bay Municipal Utilities District. The EBMUD is proposing a bond issue on June 3, ballot to increase the water supply.

Chairman for the meeting is Mrs. Ted Williams. The meeting will be held at the Roberta Restaurant in Albany.

Newly elected officers for the Soroptimist of Albany who will take office July 1, are: President, Mae Kouns; Vice-President, Gertrude Filicetti; Recording Secretary, Antoinette Stallone; Corresponding Secretary, Connie Atchley; Treasurer, Ruth Call; Directors for one year Mary Loos and Nell Moore; for two-year terms Myrtle Moncrief, retiring President, and Irene White. Delegate to district meeting and regional conferences, Ruth Call with Myrtle Moncrief as alternate. Installation time and place to be announced at a later date.

## Fireman Freddy Says:

If your home has forced air heating, now is a good time to give the unit a lubrication check to prevent the burning out of moving parts.

## HILL AREA PROTESTS APARTMENT ZONING

A petition signed by more than 100 property owners in the Solano Avenue hill area was presented to the Albany City Council Monday night. The first paragraph of the petition read: "The undersigned petition the Albany City Council to rezone the property commonly known as 841 Solano Avenue, Albany, California, comprising the former Wells land, back immediately to Single Family (R-1) classification."

A group of approximately half the signers were present at the meeting to offer verbal protests over present zoning of the property as Second Residential (R-2).

Cause of the protest was the recent purchase of the property at a Supreme Court auction in Sacramento by a local contracting firm for the purpose of building a luxury apartment house. The property had been zoned "R-2" some years ago to permit the owner, Mrs. Esther Wells, to take in boarders during the war. The rezoning was perfectly legal, according to City Attorney Foley, and even if the property were to be rezoned at this time the building permit issued to the contractors would still hold good. "The council has no power to rescind the legally issued building permit," he said.

"Legally," said Foley, "only recourse of the property owners would be to persuade the contractors to modify their present plans." The contractors are Carter & Rago who have built a number of first class multi-dwelling structures in Albany in recent months. Paul Rago, one of the members of the firm is a long-time resident of the city and his children attend Albany schools.

Price paid for the property was \$14,250, the high price being based on the multiple dwelling zone classification. The building permit listed the cost of the proposed structure as \$80,000.

Second paragraph of the petition says:

"It has never been the intent of the residents to allow or approve other multi-unit construction on this portion of the hill. The construction of an apartment house thereon would be a menace to traffic on the crest of Solano Hill, needlessly congest parking, and destroy the natural beauty of the area. The only purpose in rezoning the lot from single family to multi-unit was to allow Mrs. Wells to open her house to boarders as a war-time patriotic gesture and the war has long since passed. The lot should now be reclassified back to single family construction only. We petition all members of the Albany City Council to withdraw any building permits issued for construction thereon and restore the property to single family (R-1) status immediately."

In a further written statement the protestants say: "The residents are protesting the proposed construction of a 12-unit apartment at the crest of the hill on Solano Avenue. The apartment would be constructed on a 50-foot lot and would not have off-street parking for all tenants. In the past the hill residents have successfully fought other attempts to build multi-unit residences on the hill and still feel strongly that the hill will best serve the city by remaining essentially residential."

## Something New

HAS COME TO  
**ALBANY**  
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# 12th ANNUAL BALL Saturday, May 24th - 9 p.m.

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**Local Taxes Paid by PG&E; Part of Record**  
Pacific Gas & Electric Company, California's biggest property taxpayer, today made final payments on its property tax bill, which includes \$4,845,731 in Alameda county and \$8,589 in the city of Albany.  
The amounts are part of the 54.3 million total in property taxes paid by PG&E for 1957-58. This is the single largest property tax ever paid in California, exceeding the \$50.4 million paid by PG&E a year ago, which at that time was the largest such payment.  
The record total has been distributed among 200 California cities, 49 of the state's 58 counties, and more than 3,400 towns and districts. School districts received \$26.3 million of the PG&E payments. Counties received \$22 million, cities \$3.1 million, and other district taxes amounted to \$2.9 million.  
PG&E's total taxes for the cal-

endar year 1957, including property taxes, again set a company record. Federal, state and local taxes and franchise requirements paid or accrued totaled \$128,838,000, Norman R. Sutherland, president and general manager, stated. This represents 26 cents of every dollar received from all sources, he pointed out.

**Churches Sponsor Elijah Oratorio**  
The Oratorio of Elijah, by Mendelssohn and directed by Myron H. Way, will be given at various East Bay churches during the next few weeks. The schedule is as follows: Northminster Presbyterian, 545 Ashbury Avenue, El Cerrito, Saturday, May 24; Taylor Memorial Methodist, Oakland, Sunday, May 25; Temple Beth El, Berkeley, Saturday, June 7; Thousand Oaks Baptist, Sunday, June 8. The public is invited.

**Albany Camera Club Will Hold Meeting May 22**

The Albany Camera Club will hold its regular meeting a week ahead of schedule on May 22, 1958, in its regular meeting place at the Veterans' Memorial Building, Portland and Ramona Avenues, Albany, at 8 p. m., according to Irvin J. Pruter, president.  
Richard Roderick, program chairman, reports that Mrs. Lottie L. Sandford will show flower pictures following the regular competition showings.  
Several members of the club enjoyed a field trip to the Golden Gate Fields stables a couple of Sundays ago. Norvill Snyder, stable superintendent, escorted the group. Field trip chairman is Ruben Snyder.  
Anyone interested in photography is invited to attend.  
Winners of last meetings competitions were Irvin J. Pruter for

Day; Mrs. Ruben Snyder for Winter Solitude; Irvin J. Pruter for Little Splash; and Carl Waters for Bay Bridge.  
Refreshments are served by Mrs. Emma Drasen and Mrs. Ramona Turnbull.

**Expert to Speak On California Art**

Warren Howell, authority on early prints of California, will speak on the "Honeyman collection of 'Early Prints and Drawings of California'" on Wednesday evening, May 21, at the Oakland Art Museum, starting at 8:30. Mr. Howell, who has been in the rare book business since 1932, has studied and written extensively on California art. Two of his articles on the Honeyman collection have recently been published in "Antiques" and in the "Westerner's Brand Book." Mr. Howell is secretary of the California Historical Society and president of the Sir Francis Drake Association.

**Swimming Classes For Children 3½ To 12-Year-Olds**

A special summer instructional program for children from 3½ to 12 years of age is again being offered at Albany Pool according to Bert Griffin, Director of Recreation and Physical Education for the Albany City Schools. This program will consist of 10 half-hour weekly sessions. It will start the week beginning Monday, June 16, and end on Saturday, August 23.  
The water in the pool will be lowered each Wednesday during these ten weeks to care for the 3½ to 6 year olds. Children, in order to enroll in the group, must measure 30 inches from toe to chin. It is only during the summer that this special program is arranged for these small children.  
Classes for the 6 to 12 year olds, who must measure 40 inches from toe to chin in order to enroll, will be held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week.  
The children in these special classes will be scheduled at the Albany Pool for a definite time each week. The exact schedule will be available at the time of registration. Classes will be limited to 40 children with 7 instructors assigned to each class.  
Those interested in registering may do so at the Albany Pool, Portland and Pomona Avenues, according to the following schedule:  
Albany Residents: June 9, 10, 11, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.  
Residents of other communities: June 12, 13, 14, same times as above.  
A fee will be charged for the 10 lessons. This must be paid at the time of registration, and no refunds will be made. All children must supply their own suits, and bathing caps must be worn by the girls.  
For further information, call the Administration Office of the Albany City Schools.

**Major Canadian Events For 1958**



Visitors to Canada this year will find a multitude of major events planned in towns, cities and populated sections all across the country.  
Feature attractions will include the Highland Games at Antigonish, N. S.; the 300th anniversary celebrations at the famous shrine at St. Anne de Beaupre, Que.; the Calgary Stampede, the Totem Pole Golf Tournament at Jasper Park Lodge, Canadian Rockies, and the Manitoba Provincial Exhibition at Brandon.  
Apart from the host of other activities planned for Quebec Province, including the opening of the fabulous new Queen Elizabeth Hotel at Montreal, French-Canada's capital city of Quebec will celebrate its 350th anniversary. There will be year-round festivities in New America's only walled city to honor the great French explorer Samuel de Champlain who created the first settlement in 1608.  
British Columbia, too, is celebrating its 100th birthday in 1958 and every community in the Province will share in the fun. One of the major attractions will be the exhibit of the world's only museum train; a complete train with equipment a century old restored by the Canadian National Railways. A \$50,000 Centennial Open Golf Tournament at Vancouver from August 27 to September 1 will be one of the highlights of the British Columbia celebration as will a visit from Her Royal Highness, Princess Margaret.

I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.  
You must have long-range goals to keep you from being frustrated by short-range failures.—Charles C. Mohr

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**WHAT'S DOING**  
  
If you're on the go these fine spring weekends, you won't often be far away from a phone. We install phone booths where you're most apt to need them. Last year more than 2500 new ones went up in the Pacific West. You'll find these handy booths in vacation spots and in everyday places, too. By finding out where the demand is greatest, we're able to select the locations that are most convenient for you. Near busy street corners. In hotels, drug stores, gas stations. Wherever you go, your phones away from home make your service even more valuable to you.

Next time you see a group of telephone men at work, take a good look. Bet you'll notice they're all wearing glasses. These are individually-fitted safety glasses. And they're a big help in preventing eye injuries. The glasses are made so they won't shatter even under a heavy blow. The way we look at it, our people are the biggest asset we've got. And your best guarantee of good service. So we're strong for safety around here.

**Local Telephone Employees Fight Spread of Tuberculosis**  
Tom Winburn, Telephone Company District Manager, with the cooperation of the Alameda County Tuberculosis and Health Society recently made it possible for each of the local employees to have a convenient, free chest X-Ray. Tom, in the above picture, thanks Jackie Jacobson, Berkeley Business Office employee, who helped with the clerical work, and X-Ray technician Harvey Huttunen, for their help. The number of employees who took advantage of the opportunity to protect their health and stop the spread of the disease surpassed our expectations.

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5th 1/2 Gallon 480  
**Chateau California SWEET WINES** 48¢ 130 245  
5th 5th 5th  
**Boravich VODKA** 279 5th  
**Glenwood GIN** 279 5th  
**Glenwood BLEND** 295 5th  
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Girl Scout Troop Aids Dogs for Blind

Junior High Girl Scouts of Troop No. 186 of the Berkeley-Albany-Kensington Girl Scout Council gave a \$15.00 donation, from money earned by selling Girl Scout cookies, to the Girls Association at Garfield Junior High School which sponsors a voluntary contribution fund for a Guide Dog for the Blind.

Nancy Rawls, president of the Garfield Girls Association, received the contribution for the dog which is to be named "G.A.R."

Girl Scouts Plan Dance Festival At Albany Field

Intermediate Scouts of Troop No. 91 of Madeline School, under leadership of Mrs. William Takas, have helped to place posters for Friendship Frolic, Saturday, May 17 at Albany High School Athletic Field, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., in libraries and Live Oak Community building that serve the area within the Albany-Berkeley-Kensington Girl Scout Council. The posters were made by Mrs. Thomas N. Deane and Mrs. Robert Seolnick, volunteer adults interested in helping Scouting.

This annual May festival for all Scouts and their friends will have booths of food, coffee, punch, games, shows and gifts. Folk dancing will be participated in by 1600 girls on the track field by all

Brownies, Intermediate Scouts and Senior Girl Scouts from all troops of Albany, Berkeley and Kensington.

NORTHMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

"The Prophet of Fire" is the title of the sermon to be preached by Rev. James B. Hubbell on Sunday, May 18, at both the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services. This is the Sunday preceding the presentation of the "Elijah" by an inter-cultural group directed by Myron H. Way. The sermon is based on the life of the great prophet, Elijah. The special music will be a vocal duet by Jane Bergen and Pearl Brown.

The church choir will sing the anthem under the direction of Roy Culbertson. Carol Culbertson will preside at the organ.

A nursery is provided during the 11 o'clock service for the benefit of those who have pre-school children.

Sunday School for Nursery age through High School starts at 9:30 a.m.

The Youth Groups will not meet at their regular time, but will have an outdoor meeting this Sunday. They will meet at the church at 2 p.m. and go from there to the Meadows in Tilden Park where they will play baseball and various other games during the afternoon. At supper time they will all gather at one of the barbecue pits and have their supper. Then they will have a Vesper Service which will be conducted by Nancy Conover and Katie McLellen.

Women's Society Installs Officers Thursday, May 15

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Albany Community Church, 960 Starage, will open its May meeting at a 50-50 Pot-Luck dinner, starting at 6:30 on Thursday, May 15.

Mrs. Harry Johnson, spiritual life chairman will open the dinner with a grace-devotional.

Following the dinner, members and guests will assemble in the sanctuary where the officers will be installed by the pastor, Rev. Douglas Henderson. Mrs. Franklin Henry will be installed as president, Mrs. William Hays, vice-president; Mrs. Duane Clements, recording secretary, Mrs. Wayne Miller, treasurer; Mrs. Clayton Berling, corresponding secretary.

Circle chairman will be Mesdames W. Johnson, Carl Scott, M. Britt, V. Pausch, Joel Parker, and James Porter.

A social hour will follow the installation when the surprise gift box will be awarded to the circle having the largest attendance for the year.



Above are shown officers of the new "Zunetop Horizon Club" of Albany High School: Left to right, Roberta Schofield, Ruth Weiner, Barbara Applegate, president, and Sharon Groom, secretary of the "Win-ah-Wah Horizon Club" of Berkeley High. The Win-ah-Wah group conducted the installation at Albany High School.

Pruning Primer For Summer

The Western gardener completed his planting and ing on his watering, and feeding of plants has more job to keep his garden smart from now until Thanksgiving. He must groom his plants, May Sunset, and direct their growth. The tools he needs are: the thumb and forefinger, his right hand, a sharp pair of shears in his back pocket, and a pair of hedge shears.

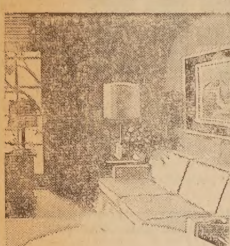
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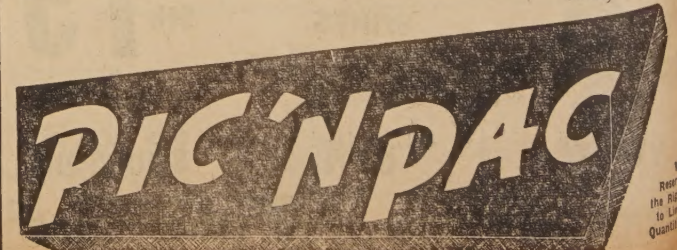
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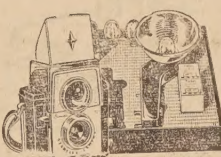
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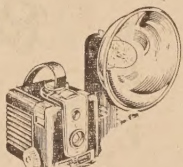
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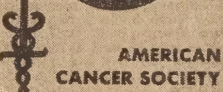
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